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CHINESE MEDICINE PROGRAMME FEES

FEES BY PROGRAMME ROUTE

RMB1 ≈ RM0.5900

** Based on exchange rates: A$1 ≈ RM2.8550,

* Current estimates only.

Refundable 1,000

Tuition Fee 103,200

Caution Deposit

Registration Fee 850

Application Fee 150

& Bachelor of Health Science

Bachelor of Applied Science

RMIT University

Credit Transfer to

(IMU)

(Chinese Medicine)

Guangzhou University

University of TCM /

Shanghai University of

PROGRAMME ROUTE

Malaysian Student International Student

44 103,200 113,000 –– ––––

53 77,400 84,750 RMB42,000 RMB84,000 126,960 134,310

Total Duration (years)

Years

Total Semesters Tuition Fee

Student

4,200 3 short 5,250

International

Student

10,800 6 long 1,500

Malaysian /

Student

4,200 4 short 5,250

International

Student

International

Student

Does It Cost?

How Much

Chemistry (MSc)

MQA/PSA11353

KPT/JPT(N/345/7/1085)10/2023

MQA/PSA11354

KPT/JPT(N/345/7/1082)9/2023

MQA/PSA11355

KPT/JPT(N/345/7/1090)12/2023

Healthcare Management

Business Administration in

MQA/PSA11353

KPT/JPT(R-CDL/442/7/0001)01/2022

Analytical & Pharmaceutical

MQA/PA8570

KPT/JPT(N/721/7/0071)03/2022

Acupuncture (MSc)

Postgraduate

MQA/FA7026

KPT/JPT(R2/724/6/0010)01/2023

Dentistry

MQA/A9294

KPT/JPT(R/726/6/0054)08/2026

Chiropractic

KPT/JPT(R2/721/6/0059)01/2027

Chinese Medicine

MQA/A8230

KPT/JPT(R2/421/6/0011)09/2022

Biomedical Science

MQA/FA3974

KPT/JPT(N/726/7/0030)02/2023

Dietetics with Nutrition

Medicine

MQA/A8228

KPT/JPT(R2/545/6/0014)09/2022

Medical Biotechnology

MQA/A8176

KPT/JPT(R2/726/6/0021)09/2022

Nursing

MQA/A3767

KPT/JPT(R2/721/8/0043)01/2027

Medical & Health Sciences

MQA/A10618

KPT/JPT(R2/720/7/0049)06/2026

MQA/A10619

KPT/JPT(R2/720/7/0082)10/2026

Pharmacy Practice (Master)

MQA/PSA12162

KPT/JPT(N/724/7/0043)05/2024

Molecular Medicine (MSc)

MQA/SWA6111

KPT/JPT(N/724/7/0019)06/2021

Pharmacy

MQA/A8229

KPT/JPT(R2/442/6/0003)01/2023

Pharmaceutical Chemistry

MQA/FA8944

KPT/JPT(R/723/6/0125)04/2027

Psychology

MQA/FA8374

KPT/JPT(R2/727/6/0050)09/2026

Public Health (MSc)

MQA/FA1298

KPT/JPT(R/726/6/0011)06/2022

Nutrition

MQA/FA7086

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What is IMU’s Chinese Medicine Programme About?

OVERVIEW

The programme consists of 4 1/2 years (12 semesters) of academic and clinical training. IMU has partnerships with several universities in China and Australia. They are the Shanghai University of Traditional Chinese Medicine, Shandong University of Traditional Chinese Medicine, Guangzhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine and RMIT University, Australia. Students can transfer to these partner universities after completing 3 years of studies at IMU. After an additional 2 years in their university of choice, they will be awarded the Bachelor Degree in Chinese Medicine by the respective partner universities. Students on the local track also have the option to embark on a 6 months to 1 year internship in China upon completing 4 1/2 years at IMU.

Students are given a solid foundation in medical knowledge. They are trained to understand the human body from its structure and physiology, through to pathology and sickness in both western sciences and Chinese Medicine perspectives. During Semester 8, students are attached to hospital and clinic. They are required to put their learned knowledge into practice for a total of 28 full weeks under close supervision of experienced Chinese Medicine practitioners.

DEGREE / DURATION

Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Chinese Medicine (IMU) — 4 1/2 years
Degree from partner universities — 5 years

COMMENCEMENT

February and September

PARTNER UNIVERSITIES

AUSTRALIA

CHINA
A Word from the Programme Director

Chinese Medicine is a holistic medicine which consists of health preservation and healing practices which originated from China but is still in practice today. Malaysia is moving towards integrated practice in healthcare and has enforced the T&CM Act since 1 August 2016 with 15 government hospitals providing T&CM services. In line with the national policy, the Chinese Medicine programme in IMU is delivered in an integrative manner, where students will acquire knowledge from both Chinese Medicine and western medicine. By delivering our programme in English, we open the doors to everyone who is keen to learn Chinese Medicine and not restrict to only those who know Mandarin. Through such studies, students will equip themselves with evidence-based medical knowledge to deal with future challenges locally or internationally as a healthcare provider.

DR WONG ZHI HANG
Lecturer and Programme Director
PhD (CM) NJUCM, MMed (CM) SDUTCM, BMed (CM) SDUTCM
# How Does the Programme Work?

## CHINESE MEDICINE PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

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The curriculum is reviewed periodically and is subject to change.

The MPU modules are compulsory modules imposed by Ministry of Higher Education under the Private Higher Educational Institutions Act 1996 (Act 555).

All students must take these modules and pass as a prerequisite for the award of the degree.
ASSESSMENT

Students will be assessed through both continuous assessment and final end of semester examinations. Assessment methods include: written assignment, laboratory report, presentation, quiz, problem-based learning, case-based learning, skill-based practical exam and clinical exam.

CLINICAL PRACTICE

Students will first start their clinical practices in a simulated environment. Simulated clinical practices are available from as early as Year 1. They will also start observing Chinese Medicine practitioners in clinical settings.

From Year 3, students will start to practise in the real-world environment. Students are required to collect a wide range of case records for each clinical subjects. They then proceed to a 28-week long clinical practices under close supervision of experienced Chinese Medicine practitioners. These supervised clinical practice sessions are conducted at IMU Chinese Medicine Centre, Tung Shin Hospital and Chihui Tang Traditional Herbal Centre.

CAREER PATHWAY

Once registered with the Ministry of Health, the Chinese medicine practitioner can work in any of these positions:

• Chinese medicine practitioner in integrated healthcare in a government or private hospital.
• Chinese medicine practitioner in a Chinese medicine hospital.

• Acupuncturist in an integrated hospital or Chinese medicine hospital or clinic.
• Chinese medicine practitioner in a private Chinese medicine clinic, as the owner and practitioner or as an employee.
• With additional post graduate qualification as a lecturer in a University or Chinese academy, delivering courses (diploma, degree, postgraduate degrees or certificate) in Chinese Medicine or acupuncture.
• A member in the sales and marketing of Chinese medicine products.
• With additional postgraduate training as a researcher in an academic institution or herbal or pharmaceutical manufacturing company.

CAREER PATHS FOR CHINESE MEDICINE PRACTITIONERS
Why Study Chinese Medicine at IMU?

1. **An Established Private Healthcare University**
   IMU is Malaysia’s first and most established private medical and healthcare university with over 28 years of dedicated focus in healthcare education. IMU achieved the SETARA-2017 Tier 6 status (Outstanding) under the Mature University category.

2. **Strong Western Science and Medicine Component**
   IMU offers a wide range of medical and healthcare programmes. The western science and medicine subjects in Chinese Medicine are delivered by experienced western medicine practitioners. Not only are students able to fully immerse in a solid medical science learning environment, they could also enhance their learning through inter-professional networking and activities at IMU.

3. **Internationally Benchmarked English Curriculum**
   IMU is one of the few universities in Malaysia to offer Chinese Medicine in an English-speaking environment. The programme is delivered in English, is supported with Mandarin when required, and is accepted by Australia and China for credit transfer. Both our partner universities in Australia and China are part of the large World Health Organization (WHO) Chinese Medicine research centre network.

4. **Student-Centred and Lifelong Learning Emphasis**
   The IMU educational philosophy is not about how many lectures are delivered. Instead, it emphasises on how much students have learned. This unique approach encourages students to be responsible for their own studies. As such, many learning activities are centred around students, from which they will hone their critical thinking and clinical skills to become competent lifelong Chinese Medicine practitioners in the modern world.

5. **Personalised Attention from Lecturers**
   Students are able to receive personalised attention from their lecturers due to an emphasis on small group learning. This enhances the teaching and learning experience for students.
### CHINESE MEDICINE PROGRAMME FEES

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#### FEES OVERVIEW

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- Application fee is payable upon submission of application.
- Registration fee and refundable caution deposit are payable upon acceptance of the offer letter issued by the IMU Admissions Office.
- As stipulated by Malaysian Ministry of Education, international students are required to pay Student Visa Application fee of RM2,500 AND personal bond (depending on nationality) upon registration.
- International students will also be required to pay Student Visa Renewal fee every year.
- Students must adhere to the “Policy on Payment of Fees”.
- All students are required to pay Student Association Fees of RM40 per semester.

#### FEES BY PROGRAMME ROUTES

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What Our Students Say

“IMU is a place of learning, culture and fun. Besides learning about my profession, I had the opportunity to know people from many other healthcare professions which build my professional network for my future career. I am grateful to the faculty members who are always helpful and provide students with assistance in the challenges they faced while learning. By delivering the programme fully in English, this programme welcomes any student who is interested in learning Chinese Medicine without worrying about the language barriers. Even after graduating for 4 years, I do not regret spending my time here.”

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Alumnus

Choosing IMU to pursue my dream of becoming a Chinese Medicine physician was one of the best decisions in my life. IMU Chinese Medicine programme did not only imparting the knowledge to students but it also trained students’ thinking ability. Apart from attending lectures, this course provided PBL sessions and supervised clinical practices. During my studies at IMU, I looked forward to PBL sessions as it was more interesting and we could learn from others through discussions. Knowledge without practice is useless, thus we have supervised clinical practice in the fourth year which allows us to apply our knowledge clinically. It has helped to improve our critical thinking and clinical skills, rather than learning everything by rote. IMU’s method of teaching has certainly trained us to become a competent Chinese medicine physician.

Wong Pui Mun
Alumna

IMU’s Chinese medicine programme integrates both Chinese and Western medicine subjects for the needs of nation and to develop competent practitioners. It is a challenge to study Chinese Medicine since it would provide brand-new knowledge to any student and so different from what we have learned previously, but you will find it fun and interesting throughout this lifelong journey.

Goh Si Woei
Alumna
PROGRAMMES AT IMU

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Endodontics (PG Dip)
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